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Attorney Docket No. 2002-0788.02/4670-167

First Inventor or Application Identifier Benjamin Alan Askren

Title Toner Cartridge Having Reduced Toner Capacity and
Method of Using the Same

Express Mail Label No. EV 368751690 US

APPLICATION ELEMENTS

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.

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2. Specification [Total Pages 15]
(preferred arrangement set forth below)
 - Descriptive title to the Invention
 - Cross References to Related Applications
 - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D
 - Reference to Microfiche Appendix
 - Background of the Invention
 - Brief Summary of the Invention
 - Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
 - Detailed Description
 - Claim(s)
 - Abstract of the Disclosure
3. Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) [Total Sheets 9]
4. Oath or Declaration [Total Pages 4]
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 - b. Copy from a prior application (37 C.F.R. § 1.63(d))
(for continuation/divisional with Box 17 completed)
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Signed statement attached deleting
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6. Microfiche Computer Program (Appendix)
7. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission
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 - a. Computer Readable Copy
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9. 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b) Statement Power of Attorney
(when there is an assignee)
10. English Translation Document (if applicable)
11. Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 Copies of IDS
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12. Preliminary Amendment
13. Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)
(Should be specifically itemized)
14. *Small Entity Statement filed in prior application,
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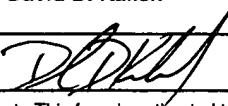
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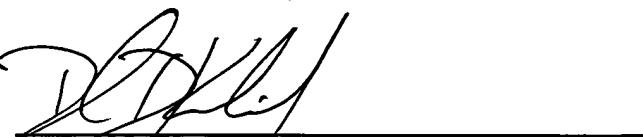
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